Lurking in the Darkness

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Summary: This story takes place during Prodigal Son. Leonardo returns from Japan; to see that his home is destroyed. The only one he is

able to contact is Angel and her cousin Amethyst comes from

Massachusetts and ends up in trouble with Hun and The Purple Dragons.

Will Amethyst ever meet her savior read on and you'll see.

## 1. Chapter 1

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Ch. 1

"Innocence Attacked"

Amethyst is a nineteen-year-old teenage girl that happens to be Angel's cousin. She is about five foot three inches, her hair is long down to her back and very wavy either in a ponytail or half ponytail. Her eyes are magenta, and she has olive skin. Today was her first day since she moved from Massachusetts to New York so she could get away from her mother's abusive new husband.

As the girls were walking another friend of Angel's called to them.

"Hey Angel wait up; where you off to you're acting like you are running from something."

Angel tapped her cousin.

"Ame wait up that's my friend Osono. I have two other friends that I want you to meet but they won't be off until Saturday."

They both stopped; and a girl about 5'5 approached them with tan long hair that almost reached to her backside. She had periwinkle eyes in jean shorts and an orange tank top with her matching jordans. The three girls walked toward an antique shop that was owned by Angel's

cousin Casey's girlfriend April O'Neil.

She looked up and signaled Angel to the back for a minute. Angel looked around and told them.

"Okay you two I'll be right back; April has something to tell me just wait here and browse."

They both nodded as Angel and April disappeared to the back.

~In the storage room~

April turned to her.

"That was wise for Leo to call you; I hope everyone is okay. Your cousin seems like a really nice girl and so does Osono. Let's hope we hear from them soon. You have no idea how scared I was when Karai threw that sign at me looking for Leonardo."

Angel sighed.

"Who else would he call April; they were watching your shop because they thought he would contact you. Boy were they wrong; it was just good to hear Leo's voice after almost three months he was away. Let's just hope the others are okay and that Karai is really lying about their demise."

April nodded.

"Yes I hope so too Angel; go on then but be careful the foot is still at large."

~Back at the new lair~

Leonardo made sure his father and his brothers were safe and made his way to go see Karai. He got inside unnoticed and sat in the shadows with his eyes slanted in anger. Karai was staring at her father's statue and felt a presence. Before she knew it he threw the sign that once hung in the lair.

"Hello Karai; I got your message!"

She put on the mask and took out her father's sword saying.

"The security around here has been very tight and here you are. Now tonight I will avenge my father by destroying you Leonardo!"

He unsheathed his katana and lunged for her and they fought as their katana clashed. She continued to fight him and he slanted his eyes more as they continued to fight.

"When we first met Karai; we fought side by side. I told you that you were nothing like your father and thought you had honor. I was wrong you understood nothing and still don't. Now you have gone too far this time Karai!"

He used his katana and sliced her mask in four pieces. When she went to grab the foot com he used his katana and sliced it in half. Then he ended up behind her and used his katana very close to her neck causing her to go on her knees.

"Go on and Finish me!"

He shook his head.

"No, Karai I am giving you one last chance to do the right thing. Don't waste it!"

She nodded and was a little scared. Then he picked up her father's sword and jumped up cutting off the head of the Oroku Saki statue.

"And Karai, Stay away from my family!"

The sword went up and landed on the floor straight up in front of Karai's face as he disappeared into the shadows back to his family. He made his way back to the new lair and threw the Chinese food at his brothers and went by Master Splinter. He handed him the new walking stick he got for him and bowed.

"This walking stick is said to come from an ancient tree since your old one was destroyed. I got it with the Ancient One."

Master Splinter smiled.

"A very gracious gift; I know I have my son back welcome home Leonardo. "

He smiled back as they all went to sleep after the long day they all had.

The next day Angel and Amethyst went to meet Osono to go hang out. They all enjoyed a picnic, and some must needed time at the gym. Around 1030 the three girls left the gym and walked home. Behind them they heard clubs; and chains. They all gulped as they continued to walk back to Angel's and were surrounded by Hun and his Purple Dragons. Angel went to grab her shell cell and noticed that she left it at her grandma's house. She gulped as they closed in on them. Hun targeted Amethyst while the others went after Angel and Osono.

She ran away but he cornered her and knocked her to the floor. She fought him off as he went down trying to undo her jeans.

## ~Above~

Leonardo was training his brothers when he heard Angel yelling for help. He and his brothers jumped down and took out the other dragons attacking Angel and Osono. She sighed with relief, but heard her cousin screaming. She turned to Leonardo.

"Leo my cousin is being attacked by Hun; I can't believe I left my shell cell at the house. Please don't kill me I'll never forget it again. Please just save my cousin."

He slanted his eyes in anger and followed Amethyst's screams. Then he jumped down and kicked Hun into the wall. He looked at him.

"You again freak! Mind your own business this does not concern you!"

Leonardo jumped up and came down as Hun tried to get back up and attack Amethyst again.

"Leave her alone Purple Dragon scum; can't you see she isn't interested. When a low life jerk like you attacks an innocent teenager it is my business now back the hell off her or I will make you Hun!"

Hun laughed as he lunged for Leonardo. Leonardo grabbed his arm and threw him across the lot making him hit the wall and be knocked out. Amethyst looked up and saw a blue headband blowing in the night wind. Then she passed out and Leonardo caught her before she hit her head. He picked up his shell cell and called Raphael.

Raphael heard his shell cell ringing and picked up.

'Yo Leo; where the hell are you? Is Angel's cousin okay? You want to what; have you lost your mind bro? '

Leonardo yelled into his shell cell.

'No Raph; I haven't lost my mind. She is out cold what the hell am I supposed to do? Well leave her here!'

He sighed.

'Fine Leo; you just better hope she doesn't wake up and see you bro! I'll call April and tell her that she is expecting you with Angel's cousin Amethyst.'

Leonardo picked up the unconscious teenage girl and made his way to April and Casey's place. April let him in and asked.

"What happened to her Leo? She was attacked by Hun; oh no is she okay?"

He nodded.

"Yes April she is fine; I got to her in time. Let me know when she wakes up; and yes April my family is still alive. I found them scattered all over the city; and also fought Karai and broke it off with her finally. Hopefully that is the last we heard of her; but I highly doubt it. "

Casey looked at him dumbfounded.

"You were with Karai Leo; you got to be kidding me!"

He sighed.

"Yes I was stupid to think that she was nothing like her dishonorable father; but I learned my lesson. Okay let's not speak about that again. It's just good to be home with my family and friends again. See you April and Casey."

~Where the brothers were waiting~

Leonardo flipped down and nodded to Angel. Osono was still in shock from seeing a red headband flying in the wind and couldn't speak. She

heard voices and fainted. Angel shook her head and sighed.

"You four should be getting out of here. Thank you for being around."

## 2. Chapter 2

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Ch. 2

"An Enemy Amongst Friends"

Days passed after Amethyst was attacked by Hun. She was in deep thought in their third hour thinking about the one that saved her and his voice so clear in her mind. Angel tapped her cousin.

"Ame; the teacher is looking right at you daydreaming. Those are the notes for our chapter test on the board. Hurry up and copy them down or you won't have a study guide for the chapter." Amethyst snapped out of her thoughts and started to copy the board with the notes for the chapter. It was now lunchtime and the two girls made their way to the lunchroom where Angel spotted Tara talking with a guy that had the Purple Dragon tattoo on his arm and shook her head. Amethyst looked at her.

"What is it Angel? Isn't that your friend Tara with that purple dragon?"

Angel sighed as she responded.

"Yes it is come on let's go meet Nikita; the last thing I need is for him to see you and tell Hun."

Nikita a girl with light orange hair in a braid called to them.

"Hey you two ova here; you know I have been holding this seat for you umm three for about ten minutes. I am starving too. Where is Tara?"

Angel sighed.

"Go on get your food Nikita; we'll be here when you come back. We both packed our lunch this morning. When you come back I'll tell you where Tara is."

Amethyst looked at her cousin.

"Ang I can't get his voice out of my head. He just came out the shadows and saved me from that big ox Hun! All I remember is before I passed out I saw a blue headband blowing in the wind; and heard a manly voice. When I woke up I was at your cousin Casey's girlfriend April's place with a pounding headache. I don't understand why Hun attacked me either. I don't even know who this Hun guy is either."

Angel sighed as she looked at her.

"Ame; Hun is the head of the Purple Dragons. They basically rule New

York and are the most powerful gang. Why he attacked you is beyond me; and I am trying to figure it out."

Osono approached them with Nikita.

"Maybe we should all go back to our old Martial Arts School and advance our skills. Those guys meant business a few nights ago. Poor Amethyst the poor girl just got here and was already attacked by Hun. That makes no sense to me at all. Ame do you know martial arts?"

Amethyst looked up and responded.

"Yes I actually do; and have a pair of katana in the spare room at my cousin's."

Angel's eyes widen.

"Huh you know how to use katana; when did you learn? Then why didn't you defend yourself against Hun that night!"

Osono glared at Angel.

"Did it ever occur to you that she was more scared about what he was trying to do to her; than to defend herself Ang."

Nikita looked up.

"That sounds good; maybe we should go back to our teacher from when we were kids. But who will teach a bunch of teenage girls in college to do ninjitsu? Isn't that passed on in families or something?"

Angel thought to herself.

'No that is just stupid; Leo will kill me if I even attempt to ask him. I am going to kill my cousin for not telling me that she knows how to use katana.'

The lunch bell rang and the three friends made their way to their 4th hour.

After school; the four friends were walking home from school when they came across a Ninjitsu dojo in Brooklyn. Amethyst and Osono tapped them both.

"Look it's a ninjitsu school; wow let's go check it out."

Angel looked at them both.

"Ok you two if you insist. "

They entered the dojo; it was dark and then suddenly there was an ambush. Amethyst glared with anger as she attacked the guards.

Angel looked and yelled.

"Amethyst STOP!"

Osono was defending herself. Nikita went to hide from the attackers

and let Amethyst and Osono take care of them. Amethyst almost broke a few of the guards' necks. The rest suddenly stopped a loud voice was heard and the girls froze in their places.

## "ENOUGH!"

The guards moved away from the girls and bowed as they went in front of a short elderly chubby guy.

He looked at the girls.

"All of you bow now! Including the girl in the orange braid hiding. Be silent and listen.

"I am known as the Ancient One. This very skilled ninjas you were fighting are my guards. So you ladies want to learn Ninjitsu. I am warning you all it takes a lot of discipline and skill to master the art of ninjitsu!"

The girls bowed as they listened to a story. Ancient One began.

"Let me tell you ladies about a student of mine from three years ago; who was battling his anger as you are young lady. He was suffering from a major defeat causing his family to be injured severely. He was the eldest of his brothers and the most skilled of his brothers."

He continued his tale of the warrior.

"He was quite different then you girls all he can think about is to kill and to fight his anger became stronger and more worst, and then as we traveled up to my dojo he still had anger bottling up.

He was very skilled at such a young age; as we traveled we had to go through the cave of worthiness. He faced his fear and it faded away after that. He faced his biggest fear."

Ancient One paused as he looked as his new students.

"But I will stop the tale there when you 4 get that far you will face your own fears! "

He glanced at the young girl with magenta hair.

"Especially you young lady; what is your name? "

She looked up and introduced herself with an attitude.

"My name is Amethyst and I am 19 years old. I am nothing like the warrior in your story Sensei. I will be a very good student."

Ancient one stared at her.

Amethyst bowed in respect.

"Y-es Sensei."

Above the window stood a figure hidden in the shadows the blue bandanna flown in the wind. He said in his mind as he crossed his arms.

'Cumquat I hated that word; I'm a turtle a mutant turtle.'

He stood in the shadows as they all stood up.

Amethyst looked around sensing someone was near. She shrugged it off and began listening as The Ancient One explained the basic skills.

The figure peeked again as he watched; and seen the majestic girl. He slapped his face and said in his mind.

'Wow!'

He disappeared into the shadows because his shell cell rang. The girls turned around and looked up no one was there.

The Ancient One slapped all 4 with his hand.

"Pay attention!"

Osono spoke.

"But master someone was watching us. "

The Ancient one spoke.

" Young warriors in training must focus! Don't worry about the figure you will meet him sooner than you think."

All 4 looked at each other. Angel whistled as she continued her basic skills!

~Below Ground~

Raphael was in the dojo punching his bag looking at the clock.

'Leo where the shell are you? Come on please don't tell me you are back to the way you were three years ago.'

Leonardo entered the lair when he heard a thick accent.

"Yo Leo where were you; you disappeared again! Please don't tell me you are back to the way you were three years ago I hated you that way!"

Leonardo glared and slapped his forehead.

"What is the matter with you? No I'm not I went on my training run. I saw the error of my ways Raph!"

Raphael rubbed his forehead.

"Ow oh; what you see any punks to fight?"

Leonardo rolled his eyes.

"No Raph; the streets have been quiet. "

Raphael sighed.

"Man no more punks to attack that is boring."

Michelangelo came in.

"Hey good for us; we can actually relax without worrying about protecting the city from the punks. More video games for me; maybe I can raise my high score!"

Raphael played with his Sai on his finger.

"That's all you care about Mikey is your stupid video games!"

Michelangelo looked.

"What's the matter Raphie?"

Michelangelo looked at his younger brother.

"Nothing; it's just been boring around the city!"

Michelangelo shrugged.

"Isn't that a good thing dude?"

Master Splinter looked at his sons.

"My sons; your brother Leonardo is himself I can assure you of that. To answer your question Donatello. He went to follow the girls to the Ancient One's dojo. One of those girls is going through the same thing that your brother Leonardo went through when I sent him away to Japan to seek out the Ancient One."

Raphael stood up and yawned as he put his Sai back in his belt.

"So what was it like to be trained bro you never told us?"

Michelangelo spoke.

"Yea bro I wanna know pleaseee."

Leonardo chuckled.

"I'm tired can I tell you later on?"

Michelangelo looked with a pouty face. Raphael slapped him.

"Yes Leo."

Leonardo stretched and went to his room. He laid on his shell after he took his bandanna off. He was thinking about that girl and what Master Splinter said. He drifted off to sleep.

Michelangelo stretched and entered his room, and fell right back to

sleep.

Raphael stretched and was in his room already; and fell asleep.

Donatello was already fast asleep in his room.

After his sons were asleep Master Splinter wrote a note to the Ancient One and it disappeared in a flame to the Ancient One.

~Above ground in the dojo~

Ancient One looked at his students.

"Amethyst and Osono I advise you both if you know how to use a weapon have them on you at all times. I will decide on what weapon Nikita and Angel will be using."

The girls kneeled down and bowed in respect.

"Thank you sensei goodnight. "

Casey beeped the horn as he waited. They walked to the van and Casey drove the girls home.

When she got home Amethyst entered her room. She took a quick shower and put her pajamas on as she had flash backs of her mistakes and bad choices she made and drifted off to sleep.

Angel fell asleep in her clothes.

The next day Nikita looked at her watch and dialed Tara's cell phone. She got her answering machine and sighed.

Osono glared.

"Let me guess; no answer again? What the hell is she doing; this is the 7th time she is avoiding us. What is going on with her?"

>Angel, and Amethyst shrugged. Amethyst looked around and went for her bag on her back. Then she tapped Osono and whispered in her ear. Osono also went for her bag. Nikita and Angel gulped.>

Osono unsheathe her katanas as well as Amethyst unsheathed hers. Amethyst stayed silent when they took the short cut through the north alley.

Amethyst and Osono got in a stance Osono spoke.

"We are not alone! "

Amethyst stayed in position when they were ambushed by the purple dragons. A familiar voice was heard Amethyst, Osono and Nikita glared all 3 yelled in anger.

"TARA!?"

Tara revealed herself and smirked.

"Yes it is me; now you girls walked in the wrong territory now you

face me! "

The purple dragons stood there as they watched Tara who was about to attack when a Sai was thrown at her Jutte, Tara was bleeding as she glared.

A giant mutant turtle in a trench coat landed in front of the girls as his red bandanna flown in the wind. He spoke with a thick accent that was a powerful one.

"You, punk ass kid thinks your better than everyone! How about you back off and turn away from punk asses like these lowlifes! "He took them all out including the leader which was Tara's b/f." Tara looked and yelled out his name.

"RICHARD!?" She glared and picked up her Jutte.

"I'll teach you to mess with us purple dragons! "She lunged at him.

The mutant turtle glared and gritted his teeth.

"You don't want to mess with me kid!"

He blocked her attack and flipped over her as he kicked her to the wall, Tara hit the wall and got back up as she went back at him she tried to stab him. When he blocked her Jutte with his Sai. He cut the hand she wielded the Jutte with.

"You think the purple dragons are all that; you don't even know what they are all about! You are a punk ass wanna be who needs a lesson in life!" He round housed her to the ground. He held his Sai to her neck.

The girls just stared.

Richard ran off and with his gang and left her there.

Tara was scared when he pulled the Sai away from her neck.

"You still think they care for you!?" Tara looked up at him as a tear rolled down her eye, he helped her up

"The name is Raphael. "

Amethyst, Nikita and Osono walked to them slowly. Osono unsheathe her katanas Raphael blocked.

"Are you that bored you had to take out your katanas? " Osono looked

"How you know?" Raphael chuckled

"I'm a ninja not a phony. " Osono shield her katanas.

The girls hugged Tara.

"We are still here for you Tara but you were pretty dumb to join them.  $\mbox{"}$ 

Raphael looked as he put his Sai back in his belt.

"So who are you 4?"

End file.